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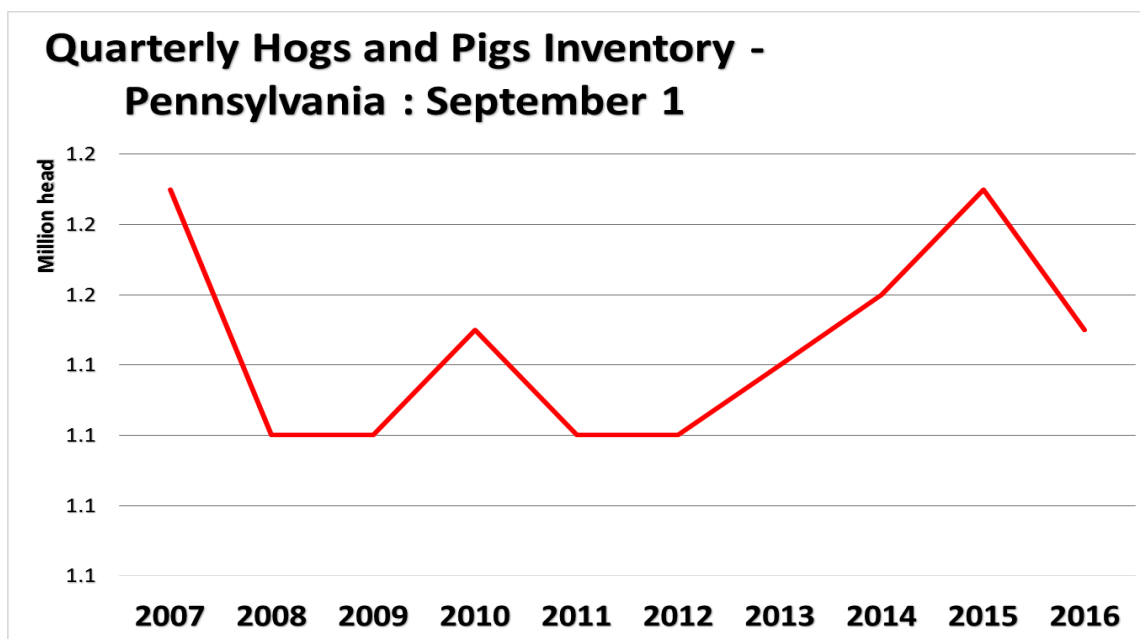
Pennsylvania Hog Inventory Down 3 Percent

Pennsylvania inventory of all hogs and pigs on September 1, 2016 was 1.15 million head. This was down 3 percent from September 1, 2015, but unchanged from June 1, 2016.

Breeding inventory, at 95 thousand head, was down 5 percent from both September 1, 2015 and the previous quarter.

Market hog inventory, at 1.055 million head, was down 3 percent from last year, but unchanged from last quarter.

The June-August 2016 pig crop, at 502 thousand head, was down 2 percent 2015. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 48 thousand head, down 2 percent from 2015. The average pigs saved per litter was 10.45 for the June-August period, up .05 pig per litter.



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